has also been signed with some private parties and foreign companies which would provide technical know-how to the above plant and if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K.R. NARAYNAN):

(a) and (b) The know-how for commercial grade gallium metal from Bayer Liquors was developed in Chemistry Division, BARC. The Special Materials Plant at the Nuclear Fuel Complex, Hyderabad has set up a kilogram scale facility for purification of Crude Gallium produced by M/s. Madras Alluminium Corporation Limited(MALCO) to 99·999/% purity. A preliminary project report for purification of 500 Kg. per annum Gallium has been submitted to the Department of Science and Technology. The organisations participating in this project are Nuclear Fuel Complex, Central Electrochemical Research Institute, National Research and Development Council, Engineers India Limited and Madras Alluminium Corporation.

(c) No, Sir. No Memorandum of Understanding has been signed either with private parties or with foreign companies to provide technical know-how for this project.

Development of modern space fuel plant

4448. SHRI BIR BHADRA PRATAP SINGH :
SHRI DHULESHWAR MEENA :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that India has developed a modern Space Fuel Plant indigenously which will produce fuels for space applications; and

(b) if so, what are the salient features of this plant and what are the details of liquid propellants which would be produced by the above plant and to what extent India would save foreign exchange by the setting of the above plant per year ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K.R. NARAYANAN) :

(a) and (b) A plant to produce two major storable liquid fuels for launch vechicles and space craft, Unsymmeterical Dimethyl Hyderazine (UDMH) and Monomethyl Hydrazine (MMH), has been set up by M/s. Andhra Sugars limited (ASL), a private firm in Andhra Pradesh, based on the knowhow developed in the Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre (VSSC)/Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO). The saving in foreign exchange, at production at full capacity will be of the order of Rs. 2.00 crores per annum.

Composition of the Anomalies Committee

4449. SHRI BHAGATRAM MANHAR :
SHRI DHULESHWAR MEENA :
SHRI BIR BHADRA PRATAP SINGH :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to refer to reply given to Unstarred Question 1205 in the Rajya Sabha on the 4th August, 1988 and state :

(a) what is the composition of the Anomalies Committee set up

by Government under JCM Scheme;

(b) what are the broad terms and conditions which would be looked into by this Anomalies Committee and whether one of the terms is to consider the revision of pay scale of Assistants; and

(c) by when the report of Anomalies Committee will be made available for implementation by the various Departments of the Government ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM) : (a) The National Anomaly Committee headed by the Secretary Ministry of Personnel & Training consists of officials from the Ministry of Railways, Deptt. of Telecommunications, Deptt. of Posts, Ministry of Defence, Ministry of Finance and the Deptt. of Personnel & Training, representing the Official Side. The Staff-Side is represented by 15 members of the National Council sponsored by the Secretary, Staff-Side.

The Departmental Anomaly Committees would be constituted by the individual Departmental headed by Additional Secretary (Admn.) or JS (Admn.) (if there is no post of Additional Secretary (Admn.).

(b) Statement is laid on the Table of the House. (*See below*)

(c) The Anomaly Committees are to complete their deliberations within a period of 6 months from the date of their appointment.

Statement

The anomalies which could be discussed in the Anomalies Committees (both National and Departmental) are those which arise, out of the fixation of pay in the revised scale, date of increment, exercise of option, fixation of pay of employees who elect the revised scales from the date later than the prescribed date of 1-1-86, stagnation increment, junior/senior problems, cases of loss in existing emoluments after refixation, etc.

Requests for modifications of the scales of pay recommended by the Pay Commission and accepted by Government on grounds of anomalies based on inter-job and inter-departmental comparisions would normally be outside the purview of the Anomalies Committees. However, exceptional cases of this nature may be brought before the Anomalies Committees. The Anomalies Committee would examine such cases and refer them to the Ministry of Finance for disposal.

The National Anomalies Committee will deal with anomalies common to two or more Departments and in respect of common categories of employees. The Departmental Anomaly Committees will deal with anomalies pertaining to the Department concerned. These Anomaly Committees will function under the JCM Scheme.

Decisions relating to anomalies which arise as a result of acceptance of the specific recommendations of the Pay Commission without modifications or modifications which result in improvement over the Pay Commission's recommendations, as a result of discussion in the Anomaly Committees, will not be arbitrable for a period of five years.